

FAITHFUL JEWS  
GOOD CITIZENS

SIMON WOLF ADDRESSES GATHERING ON "WHY WE ARE PROUD TO BE JEWS" - JEWISH ACHIEVEMENTS ARE MANY - MAKERS OF NATION'S HISTORY.

A large audience was present this morning at the synagogue of Ahavia Sholem, at Park and Clay streets, to hear Simon Wolf, the noted Jewish public man who is the guest of Portland, deliver his address on "Why We Are Proud to Be Jews."

"The hope of the Jews of this and all other countries," said Mr. Wolf, "lies in the direction of concerted action, a unity of purpose and understanding absolutely the ground work upon which our faith is founded."

Among the great achievements of the Jew in the United States during the past 20 years Mr. Wolf noted most prominently the Council of Jewish Women, which had contributed so largely to the cause of the race and he urged them to reorganize. Emerson, Browning and Shakespeare culled, that the social standard might be maintained and the work perpetuated. Among other achievements of which as Jews, he said they should be proud, were organizations for the relief of congested districts of the large cities, the seminary in New York for the unifying of the religion, the Jewish public missions, the Jewish Chautauque, held each year at Atlantic City, the National Pious school and the hospitals established and maintained throughout the United States by the Jews for Jews and Christians alike.

Against the Jew who would attempt to advance himself or himself socially by denying their birth Mr. Wolf was very bitter. "If," he said, "they think that any cosmetic will change the contour of their faces so that their race will be hidden they are mistaken. The self-respecting Christian men and women respect the self-respecting Jew. The man who is untrue to the faith of his fathers can never be, in my opinion, a true son of the United States."

At the conclusion of his address Mr. Wolf painted a touching picture of the deserted condition of the land of his birth, the province in Bavaria from which the Jews in later years have been expelled. There is nothing left there now, he said, of his people but a few graves of deceased relatives, not a living Jew in the province.

The American Jew. Last night at Temple Beth Israel the large auditorium was taxed to its utmost seating capacity by an audience anxious to hear Mr. Wolf deliver his address on "The American Jew as a Soldier, Citizen and Patriot." Nor were they disappointed, for Mr. Wolf is a capable speaker and the address, dealing as it did with the record of the Jews in the making of American history, was extremely interesting.

Mr. Wolf ably refuted scurrilous attacks and by searching the records of the United States was able to prove conclusively that in every war the Jew had played an important and heroic part. From the Revolution, when an American-Polish Jew advanced to Washington and his army at Valley Forge the sum of \$300,000, which money has never been repaid, down to the Spanish-American war the Jew fought shoulder to shoulder with the Americans. The records, he said, showed that over 5,000 Jews were soldiers in the civil war, the percentage being greater than that of any other religious sect.

Before the close of his address Mr. Wolf took occasion to point out the opportunities given the Jews in America, saying that in this country the right of citizenship, religious and political liberty had been extended to the race as in no other place on earth, and exhorting them to united action in making better citizens in appreciation of the munificent right given them by the government.

Spends Sixty-eight Birthday Years. Mr. Wolf is a very gifted speaker. By profession he is a lawyer and practices in Washington, D. C. He has held a number of important government positions and for the past 20 years has been identified with the movement to relieve the oppression of the Jews in foreign countries. Yesterday was Mr. Wolf's birthday. He was 68 years of age.

"I am certainly glad that I was allowed to celebrate one of my birthdays in Portland," said Mr. Wolf, "for I have had a delightful trip ever since I started, but I expect Portland to eclipse them all."

Letters and telegrams of congratulation on his birthday from prominent men all over the world were piled high on the table in the room at the Hotel Portland, and he did not have time to read more than half of them. The trip from San Francisco was very trying, as the train was delayed for more than six hours.

The mission on which Mr. Wolf is at present engaged, and to which cause he is contributing so effectively is perhaps best given in his own words, "to unify the Jewish people so as to aid in contributing to the stricken and unfortunate and to relieve the oppressed Jews in foreign countries and all parts of this country where there is a congested condition."

Mr. Wolf has long made a study of the problems confronting the Jewish people of today. On this subject he has written a valuable book, and as grand president of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith he is making a tour of the United States delivering lectures dealing with these questions.

"It is my work," said Mr. Wolf, "to bring the Jewish people together as a whole, to unite them as a race to one purpose and one religion and then when they are once united the difficult problems of relieving the oppression from which certain classes are suffering will have been partially solved. The solution

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The reception to be tendered Mr. and Mrs. Wolf tonight, instead of being held at the Concordia club, will take place at the Hotel Portland. Arrangements to give effect have been completed. The reception will be held at 9 o'clock.

The reception committee is as follows: Mrs. Stephen E. Wise, Mrs. S. Sichel, Mrs. S. Julius Meyer, Mrs. I. Sweet, Mrs. M. Baruh, Miss Hirsch, Miss Kline, Mrs. Sol Hirsch, Mrs. Alexander Bernstein, Mrs. L. Gussman, Mrs. S. S. Seeling, Mrs. Max Fleischman, Mrs. J. Kramer, Mrs. L. Samuel, Mrs. Sig. Frank and Mrs. Bernheim.

An invitation by Mr. Wise is extended to all members of the Jewish congregations of Portland and members of the B'nai B'rith to attend this reception and meet Mr. and Mrs. Wolf.

While J. Hat Hitehings was delivering an impassioned speech on the benefits and necessities of physical culture, declaring it to be the best thing on earth, Captain Moore, Sergeant Slover and Policemen Nelson and Circle walked into the Peerless Athletic club, 210 Alder street, last night and spoiled the evening. A boxing contest between Fred Mueller and Ed Kelley had just been finished. No arrests were made, because every man escaped.

"Gentlemen physical culture is the paramount issue," said Hitehings. "Its benefits are manifold. It is the greatest thing on earth. Marvelous are its results. I would as soon be bereft of my mentality as devoid of physical culture. We need it in every thing we do - cannot get along without. Physical culture."

Hitehings' oratorical flight was cut short by the sudden appearance of the policemen. All the physical culture of years seemed to fall him; he was speechless and dumb before the phalanx of bluecoats. So was every one else. All present thought of the scandals that would ensue in case they were arrested. About 200 were there. They bolted for doors. They fell down stairways. They scrambled for safe positions in an upstairs rooming house. They brushed aside the officers and soon the establishment was empty.

The squad of policemen then filed out and marched to the central police station. Not a dozen words were spoken by the entire number of officers during the "raid." Their presence was sufficient. The action was taken by Captain Moore because he was informed a prizefight was in progress. The club will not be reopened, it is said.

POLICE RAID CLUB; STOP PRIZE FIGHT

LETTER TO HIS WIFE CAUSES INDICTMENT

W. N. McLaughlin of Parkers, and Chester McLane of Buena Vista, were friends until recently. Mrs. McLaughlin was a loving wife and lived happily with her husband. McLane was an intimate friend of the family.

McLane met his friend several days ago, it is alleged, and told him that Mrs. McLaughlin was madly infatuated with him; that she was weary of her present situation and requested McLaughlin's assistance in stopping them. Thereupon McLaughlin is accused of having written a letter to his wife who was in Portland at the time. He addressed the letter to "Mrs. Almira D. McLaughlin, care of Mrs. Mable Robb, Portland, Or." It was sent October 17.

His wife laid the letter before the postal inspectors and the grand jury returned an indictment against McLaughlin for misuse of the mails. He was taken in custody by a deputy United States marshal last night and appeared in the federal court this morning. His case was postponed on account of the absence of Judge Bellinger.

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CITY MUST SETTLE THIS ASSESSMENT

The city council will have to pay the \$1,500 assessment for the improvement of Hood and Water street, formerly assessed to the California & Oregon Railway company.

October 22, the British ship Wray Castle cleared for the United Kingdom with 28,219 bushels of barley, valued at \$63,045, and 28,073 bushels of wheat, worth \$24,422; total value, \$87,467.

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